

Tally Primary School News

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Principal's Note

Welcome to our first ever Newsletter to the whole Tally community. We hope to send this out at least twice a year to keep the community informed with some of the things happening in our fabulous school. We are starting a Playgroup on 1st of August in the Multipurpose Room at 9.00am which will be run every second week through school terms. Any parents with pre-school aged children are welcome to come and enjoy a cuppa and chat. The group will be led by our experienced Foundation teacher—Sandra Wallace.

Informal IT sessions will start on Monday, 5th August in the school's Computer Lab (4.30pm—6pm) for any interested community members who wish to update their computer/IT skills. Please ring the school to leave your name and contact number if interested.

Finally, it is that time of the year to enrol your Kinder child in school for 2014. Tallygaroopna Primary School has a lot to offer families. Feel free to contact the school at any time to arrange a tour or have your questions answered. David Brodie



Respect
Honesty
Inclusion



Biggest Morning Tea and Grandparents Day

Tally PS had a very successful Biggest Morning Tea in May and raised \$251.00 for the Cancer Council. Grandparents/Special Friends Day was incorporated into this event and we had a fantastic response from family and friends.

Aquamoves Cluster Day

Term 1 started with a splash with the first Cluster Day of the year held at Aquamoves in Shepparton. Students enjoyed renewing friendships with students from other small schools and we were lucky to have such great weather for the day



Kids Matter

Highlights



Our Students were lucky to benefit from the skills of two AFL Football Clubs—Geelong and Collingwood—at football clinics in Term 1. Our active Parents' Club assisted students in our school kitchen making pancakes on Strove Tuesday and Anzac biscuits for ANZAC Day. Our School Captains—Teagan and Brenton—represented the school at the ANZAC Day Service in Shepparton with a wreath made by students assisted by a member of Parents' Club. Other highlights included an Easter Bonnet Parade at Easter, A Puppet Show with the Tally Kinder children and the Bike Education Program. Term 2 culminated with the Dance Festival at the Shepparton Basketball Stadium.



AASC Program

Our Active After-school Communities Program continues to be successful. So far this year we have had Football, Aerobics, Netball and BMX sessions. The students participating in the BMX Program were lucky to enjoy some sessions at the BMX Track in Shepparton.



Urban Camp

Our Grade 5 & 6 students enjoyed the sights in Melbourne with senior students from Dookie, Lemnos and Wunghnu Primary Schools for three days at Urban Camp. They visited Scienceworks, Imax Theatre, Melbourne Sports Museum and Eureka Skydeck at night amongst other things.

